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In re application of: Martin A. Cheever and Mary L. Disis

Application No.: 09/167,516

Filed: October 6, 1998

For: IMMUNE REACTIVITY TO HER-2/neu PROTEIN FOR DIAGNOSIS
AND TREATMENT OF MALIGNANCIES IN WHICH THE HER-2/neu
ONCOGENE IS ASSOCIATED

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

WASHINGTON DC 20231

Assistant Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment and response in the above-identified application.

[] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

[] A verified statement to establish small entity status under CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

[X] A Petition for an Extension of Time for four months is enclosed.

[] A General Authorization Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) is enclosed.

[X] No additional claim fee is required.

[X] The fee has been calculated as shown.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST PREV. PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	* 12	MINUS	** 23	0
INDEP.	* 1	MINUS	*** 3	0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIMS				
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE				
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 9	\$	x 18	\$ 0
x 39	\$	x 78	\$ 0
+ 130	\$	+ 260	\$ 0
	\$		\$ 1,360
	\$	TOTAL	\$ 1,360

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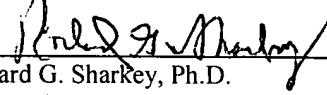
[X] A check in the amount of \$ 1,360 is attached.

[X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

[X] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

[X] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,
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